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**AMENDMENT 4**

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**TO:** ALL INTERESTED PARTIES FOR INVITATION FOR BIDS # 1401-16-R-IFB-00001 RFX # 3160000753  
**FROM:** HEWITT PITTMAN  
**SUBJECT:** AMENDMENT #4 QUESTION CONCERNING BID SPECIFICATIONS  
**DATE:** NOVEMBER 2, 2015

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- Q. 1. Why is the Mississippi Department of Agriculture issuing the solicitation for the 80,000GVW Heavy Duty 5 Axle Livestock Test Truck at this time?  
A. 1. The Mississippi Department of Agriculture has a need to replace the current Livestock Test Truck due to age and mileage.
- Q. 2. Are all bidders required to formally register with The Mississippi Department of Agriculture for bid #1401-16-R-IFB-00001, RFX # 3160000753?  
A. 2. Bidders are not required to formally register with the department, however we request that they do to maintain a bidder list and receive updates and amendments to the solicitation.
- Q. 3. How can a bidder receive the updates and amendments for bid #1401-16-R-IFB-00001, RFX # 3160000753?  
A. 3. Currently there have been four (4) amendments for solicitation bid #1401-16-R-IFB-00001, RFX # 3160000753. Bidders on the bidder list receive an emailed response to the questions posed. The amendments are also posted to the MAGIC website (Mississippi's Accountability System for Government Information and Collaboration) at <http://www.mmrs.state.ms.us> for RFX # 3160000753 where other bidders may access.
- Q. 4. Does the Mississippi Department of Agriculture have an anticipated date to award bid #1401-16-R-IFB-00001, RFX # 3160000753?  
A. 4. Bid #1401-16-R-IFB-00001, RFX # 3160000753 will open on December 9, 2015 at 2:00 pm after which the bids received will be evaluated to make sure that they meet the specifications in the solicitation. After the bids have been evaluated then an award will be made and all bidders will be notified.

BIDDERS MUST ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS AMENDMENT BY SIGNING AND RETURNING A COPY OF THIS AMENDMENT WITH THEIR BID.

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Vendor Signature

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